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DEEPEST REGRET AND PROFOUND SORROWS OVER THE ACCIDENT AT KARACHI AIRPORT: PRESIDENT YAHYA'S CONDOLENCE TO PRESIDENT SPYCHALSKI.

ISLAMABAD, November 1. - The Pakistan Government has expressed its deepest regret over the accident at the Karachi airport this morning resulting in the death of the Polish Deputy Foreign Minister and three Pakistanis.

A press note issued by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs in Islamabad today, says the Polish Ambassador to Pakistan, the Polish Consul General and some children of Polish families in Karachi received minor injuries.

The press note says the accident took place shortly after the arrival in Karachi of the Polish President and his entourage. As the Polish President was being introduced to the members of the welcoming party, an airliner's catering van suddenly ran into the reception line causing the tragedy.

The President Yahya Khan, who was greatly distressed on receipt of the news also conveyed his deepest sorrows and profound regrets on his own behalf and on that of the Government and the people of Pakistan to President Spychalski of Poland before the distinguished guest left for home.

The press note says the terrible tragedy has caused a pall of gloom all over Pakistan specially in Karachi and Islamabad.

The Polish President and members of his entourage left Karachi this afternoon in the special plane after a four-hour stopover at the airport. The body of the Polish Deputy Foreign Minister was flown home in the same plane.

According to a Foreign Office source in Karachi, a delegation comprising the Sind Governor, Lt.-Gen. Rakhman Gul, the Minister for Food and Agriculture, Mr. Mahmud A. Haroon and Begum Haroon Mahmud, The Chief of Protocol, Mr. M. Anwar Khan, Brig. Ghulam Husain of the Pakistan Army and the Pakistan's Charge d' Affaires in Warsaw and a Deputy Managing Director of Pakistan International Airlines, is leaving Karachi for Warsaw to attend the funeral of the Polish Deputy Foreign Minister.

Radio Pakistan's representative says that three Pakistanis killed are Mr. Ashraf, a photographer of the Press Information Department in Karachi, Mr. Yaseen, a photo-editor of Associated Press of Pakistan and Chowdhury Nazir Ahmed, an Assistant Director of the Intelligence Bureau.

The Press Information Department photographer died on the spot while the two others died later in hospital. The condition of two of the five others injured persons admitted to Jinnah Hospital is reported to be serious.

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Several persons who received minor injuries were given first aid.

The President has appointed a special commission of enquiry headed by a judge of the Supreme Court to enquire into the tragic occurrence at the Karachi airport this morning after the arrival of the Polish President from Rawalpindi.

The Governor of Sind, Lt.-Gen. Rakhman Gul, told newsmen at the airport after the accident that the driver of the van has been taken into custody and a fulfledged enquiry has been ordered. He described the tragedy as most unfortunate.

The Sind Governor later ~~visited the~~ hospital and enquired about the welfare of the injured. He offered fateha for those killed. The Governor also visited the house of Chowdhury Nazir Ahmed and expressed his condolences.

Before leaving Islamabad this morning the Polish President was given a warm send-off by President Yahya Khan. Among others present at the airport were the Deputy Chief Martial Law Administrators, Ministers, diplomatic representatives and senior officials.

Speaking to President Yahya Khan, Marshal Spychalski said he hopes his visit to Pakistan would further strengthen the existing friendly economic and trade ties between the two countries. The Pakistan President reciprocated the sentiments expressed by Marshal Spychalski.

AZAD KASHMIR PRESIDENTIAL POLL: SARDAR QAYYUM LEADING

MUZAFFARABAD, November 1. - In Azad Kashmir, Presidential elections with results still awaited from some polling stations the latest unofficial count shows Sardar Abdul Qayyum Khan is leading his closest rival Mr. K.H. Khursheed by over 64,000 votes.

So far 2,24,257 votes have been counted in favour of Sardar Abdul Qayyum Khan. Another candidate, Sardar Mohammad Ibrahim Khan has received 1,70,644 votes. The fourth candidate Chaudhury Mohammad Sharif Tariq has secured 11,905 votes.

According to figures so far available, a total of 4,95,626 votes were polled. Official counting is being held at the camp office of Azad Kashmir in Rawalpindi tomorrow.

NAP(WALI) CHIEF CLAIMS HIS PARTY STANDS FOR SOCIALISM

LARKANA, November 1. - The President of the National Awami .....

Awami Party (Wali Khan Group), told a news conference at Larkana that his party stands for socialism through democratic and constitutional means.

Khan Abdul Wali Khan said the present struggle of the people can be described as one between the poor and the rich.

KSP CHIEF FAVOURS CONSTITUTION BASED ON LAHORE RESOLUTION

DACCA, November 1. - The President of the Krishak Sramik Party, Mr. A.S.M. Suleman, told a public meeting at Degaldi near Dacca that his party has decided to take part in the elections to provide for a democratic constitution.

He said a constitution framed on the principles of of the Lahore Resolution will find acceptance in both wings of the country.

NAP (BHASHANI) AIDE STANDS FOR SAFEGUARDING INTERESTS OF PEASANTS AND WORKERS

KHACHGARH, November 1. - A Vice President of the National Awami Party (Bhashani Group), Haji Mohammad Danish, has said his party is taking part in the coming polls to safeguard the interests of the peasants and the workers.

Addressing a public meeting at Khachgarh, he said the presence of his party in the Assemblies will serve as a check against enactment of any legislation detrimental to their interest.

MUSLIM LEAGUE (COUNCIL) AIDE ADVOCATES FULL REGIONAL AUTONOMY

DACCA, November 1. - Addressing a public meeting at Dhipgarh Bazar, a Vice President of the Pakistan Muslim League (Council), Mr. A.K.M Shafiqul Islam, maintained that his party's seven-point programme can help remove any misunderstanding between the people of the two wings.

He said, if elected, his party will give full regional autonomy to the federating units.

JAMAAT-I-ISLAMI AIDE UPHOLDS ISLAMIC ORDER

RAJGARH, November 1. - The Deputy Chief of the Jamaat-i-Islami, Mian Tufail Mohammad, has said that, if elected, his party will make concerted efforts to rid society of all ills and vices.

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Addressing public meetings at Rajgarh and Sadakalan he reiterated his party's determination to establish an Islamic order in the country.

PUNJAB MUSLIM LEAGUE (COUNCIL) CHIEF FAVOURS ISLAMIC DEMOCRACY

CAMPBELLPUR, November 1. - The Chief of the Punjab Muslim League (Council), Sardar Shaukat Hayat Khan, told a public meeting at a place near Campbellpur that his party will wage a relentless war against those trying to undermine the ideology and integrity of the country.

He said his party is striving to establish a system based on Islamic democracy.

HOLY RAMZAN BEGINS

ISLAMABAD, November 1. - The Holy month of Ramzan begins tomorrow. Ramzan was partially observed in Peshawar city and cantonment and adjoining villages today.

EPIDC TO DISINVEST A NUMBER OF PROJECTS

DACCA, November 1. - East Pakistan Industrial Development Corporation (EPIDC) proposes to disinvest a number of its projects this year.

A spokesman of the Corporation told Associated Press of Pakistan in Dacca that projects proposed for disinvestment include the shipyard at Khulna, the dockyard at Narayanganj, a number of sugar and jute mills in Dacca and a groundnut oil mill in Mymensingh district.

ITEMS TO BE IMPORTED UNDER PRIVATE SECTOR FROM CZECHOSLOVAKIA ANNOUNCED

ISLAMABAD, November 1. - A list of items permissible for import in the private sector under barter from Czechoslovakia has been announced. Some regional allocations and the basis of licences for licensible items is to be announced shortly.

UNITED CHURCH OF PAKISTAN OPENED

LAHORE, November 1. - The United Church of Pakistan was opened at a ceremony in Lahore this morning. A special service was held on the occasion.

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In a message, the President, General Yahya Khan, assured the Christian community that the Government of Pakistan would always stand by its pledge to give just and equal treatment to all its nationals irrespective of their colour, cast or creed.

The Law Minister, Mr. Justice A.R. Cornelius, was the chief guest at the concluding ceremony this evening. The ceremony was also attended by church representatives from abroad.

PAKISTAN-POLAND JOINT COMMUNIQUE: SUPPORT FOR THE STRUGGLE OF SELF-DETERMINATION OF PEOPLE

ISLAMABAD, November 2. - Pakistan and Poland have expressed their support for the struggle of the people and countries for self-determination, independence and sovereignty and against all forms of colonialism.

In a joint communique issued at the end of the visit to Pakistan of the Polish Head of State, both countries have opposed all forms of colonialism and foreign domination.

They have reiterated their firm dedication to the cause of lasting peace between nations and removal of tension in various regions.

The communique has stressed the importance of strengthening the authority of the United Nations and adherence to its resolutions in the interest of world peace.

The two sides also recognised the need to further consolidate and expand cooperation in all sphere on the basis of mutual benefit.

They decided to explore the possibilities of scientific and cultural cooperation between the two countries.

It was also agreed that the prospects of further expansion of mutual cooperation in shipping and ship-building would be studied by experts from both sides.

Both Heads of State expressed their conviction that the talks they had in Islamabad will further strengthen Pakistan-Poland relations and will also help consolidate international security, peace and friendship.

PAKISTAN DELEGATION LEAVES FROM KARACHI TO ATTEND FUNERAL OF POLISH DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER

KARACHI, November 2. - A seven-member Pakistan delegation is .....

is leaving Karachi for Warsaw tonight to attend the funeral of the Polish Deputy Foreign Minister who was killed in an accident at the Karachi airport yesterday.

According to a Foreign Office source in Karachi, the delegation comprises of the Sind Governor, Lt.-Gen. Rakhman Gul, the Minister for Food and Agriculture, Mr. Mahmud A. Haroon and Begum Haroon, the Chief of Protocol, Mr. M. Anwar Khan, Brig. Ghulam Husain of the Pakistan Army, the Pakistan Charge d' Affaires in Warsaw and a Deputy Managing Director of PIA.

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